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FOR THE LADIES

FRIDAY'S CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM
DEVOTED TO THEM.

TWO CAPABLE LECTURES

Dr. Spurgeon Gives Advice to the Married and Those Who Wish to Be—Mrs. Jones Gives Talk.

This Evening's Program.

7:30—Prelude song recital, Mrs. Ella Van Huff.
8:00—Play, "Hiawatha," by Ojibway Indian company.

Sunday's Program.

Morning:
11:00—Sermon by Rev. E. Combie Smith.

Afternoon:
2:00—Prelude concert by Maryville Concert band, T. B. Maulding, director.
2:45—Sermon, Dr. E. Combie Smith.
4:30—Concert, Maryville Concert band.

Evening:
7:45—Prelude concert, Maryville Concert band.
8:30—Lecture, "Grapes of Gold," H. V. Adams.

The women held the principal place in Friday's Chautauqua program. Beside the usual morning program, which is devoted to them, the afternoon and evening programs were by and about women. In the afternoon Dr. William Spurgeon of London delivered his second lecture of the season. His subject was "Advice to the Married and Those Who Wish to Be," the most important part of which was devoted to the women. In the evening Mrs. Nellie Kedzie Jones lectured on "The Girl Who Can." The Missouri Ladies Military band gave three concerts during the day.

Dr. Spurgeon's lecture was humorously serious. He said that he had first prepared it because of the appalling number of divorces in this country, in the hope that it might do some good toward checking that evil. It in fact scored the bachelors and said they need expect no mercy or sympathy from them. The old maids, he thought, were not to blame for their condition, but were the victims of inconstant men.

The first advice he gave was to the young men and women who wished to be married. He urged the young men to look further than a pretty face in the selection of their wives, to seek a girl whose accomplishments and personality would continue to attract him after her beauty had faded. He warned the young women against trying to reform worthless fellows. The reformation of the fellow who promised to give up drink as soon as he was married is scarcely a success, he said. The best index to the man who will make a good husband is to find out how he treats his mother.

Turned his attention to the married folk, Dr. Spurgeon advised them to keep up their courtship after marriage. He told the husbands to continue to bestow the little thoughtful attentions on their wives, to bring them candy or flowers now and then and take them to the theaters. The women must keep up their side of the home life. They should do their best to make the home pleasant and make themselves capable. The woman who does not know how to order and prepare the food for the family falls a great way in the estimation of her husband, he said. And above all, they must not carry their domestic troubles to the neighbors. That is the way in which scandal starts.

The lecture of Mrs. Jones on "The Girl Who Can" was a plea for the furtherance of education among women, an education fitting them for the home, and a discussion of the work which has already been done along that line. In it she praised the work of Miss Hettie Anthony in her department.

SAVE YOUR COUPONS

This week at the Fern. Saturday night we will give as a prize a round trip ticket to Kansas City, Mo., over the new trolley line out of St. Joseph.

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ment of domestic science in the Normal.

Mrs. Jones told of the careful and thorough training which has been given to the professions for men for many years and of the importance which we attach to the schooling of our doctors, lawyers and, more recently, farmers have. Then in contrast to this she brought out the lack of training given to the girls, who, as wives and mothers, are in charge of the most important business in the world, the business of making homes and rearing families. The girl who goes to school and receives a liberal education and training in domestic science is best fitted to take charge of a home. She can make her home cleanly and fight disease in a scientific manner so that the health of the family is safeguarded. She knows how to properly prepare the food which goes on the table, the best foods to prepare that the most



REV. E. COMBIE SMITH.

Will appear on the Chautauqua platform Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday afternoon. Rev. Smith is pastor of the Linwood Boulevard M. E. Church of Kansas City.

nourishment can be obtained. This not only improves the health of herself, husband and children, but it enables them to work with the greatest efficiency. And then, she is able to answer the many questions that her children ask, to direct their thought and life that they may get the best possible start in the world. She is the girl who can.

This Saturday afternoon Mrs. Ella Van Huff gave the prelude song recital, followed by an entertainment by the Ojibway Indians, a party of ten Ojibway Indians from Canada. The afternoon program closed with a band concert by the ladies.

The attendance Saturday was very large, and Sunday, the closing day, the attendance promises to be very large.

Camp Notes.

Miss Maud McMurray of Bolckow was the guest of Mrs. Charles Airey and Miss Golda Airey at their camp Friday. Miss McMurray is here on a visit with her brother, George Murray, and family, and with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bellows.

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Miss Bessie Aley and Misses Ola and Ora King were guests at Camp Hospitality Friday.

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Mrs. George W. Rose of Stanberry arrived Friday evening to spend the remainder of the Chautauqua season with her daughter, Miss Virginia Rose.

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Miss Myrtle Blanchard of Verdon, Neb., is the guest of Miss Hazel Smith at Camp Smith, will go to Pickering Saturday evening to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. McMillen, the guest of Miss Margaret McMillen.

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Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mathers of Barnard were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Yeaman at the Yeaman-Porter camp Friday.

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The girls of the Hum Drum club are brave, ambitious and aspiring, as well as altogether lovely. We can prove it so. On Friday they had for their guest Miss Hettie Anthony, head of the domestic science department of the Northwest Normal. And they prepared a luncheon for her. Think of it! And she praised them and their luncheon. And that was certainly dear to them. Then, on Friday night after Mrs. Nellie Kedzie Jones' lecture on "The Girl Who Can," they served a luncheon of coffee, sandwiches, olives and watermelon, at which Homer Croy, the wise and witty editor of Leslie's and Judge in New York, was the honor guest. The other members of the company were Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard, Miss Alice Porter, Dr. Earl C. Brainerd, Edward (Continued on page 2.)

RATES COME DOWN TO PLEAD GUILTY

NEW PARCEL POST RULING PERMITS 20 POUNDS TO BE MAILED.

IT SAVES LEAD PENCILS

New Rate Takes Less Figuring Than the Old—Perishable Products Mailable in the First Zone.

An adjourned term of circuit court will be held on Monday to dispose of a few criminal cases and also civil cases. Judge W. C. Ellison will be on the bench.

The criminal case of "Parnell" Greeneish, who is charged with burglary and larceny, is slated to come up on that day. Greeneish is charged with breaking into the depot at Burlington Junction a few weeks ago. He is going to plead guilty, so he told Sheriff Wallace.

There will probably be other criminal cases to come on that day.

The case of Mrs. Lawrence Grownay vs. Patrick J. and Joseph O'Donnell which was set for Monday, will not be called owing to the inability of the special judge, J. Woodson Peery of Albany, being unable to be here.

On Saturday, August 23, will be the last day of services for cases for the regular September term of circuit court, which will convene on Monday, September 22. This is a new term of court as provided by a recent law which went into effect on June 22.

NO CHURCH SERVICES SUNDAY.

All of the Protestant Churches to Dismiss for Day—There Will Be Sunday School, However.

All of the Protestant churches in the city will dismiss their preaching services on Sunday on account of the Chautauqua. However, there will be Sunday school at the regular hour at all of the churches. At the Chautauqua Rev. Smith of Kansas City will give the morning sermon at 11 o'clock.

In the evening a prelude concert by the Maryville band will be given, followed by a lecture by H. V. Adams.

ADMISSION WILL BE 35 CENTS.

The Sunday Morning Program at the Chautauqua Not to Be Free, But One Ticket Good for All Day.

The Sunday morning program at the Chautauqua will not be free, as some seem to think it would. There will be an admission fee of 35 cents, but that will be good for the entire day's program.

Horse Fell Into River.

As Mrs. Harry Ledgerwood, who lives southeast of Maryville, was driving to Maryville early Saturday afternoon one of the horses she was driving caught its foot in the bridge over the river between the Mason and Bainum farms and fell into the river. One horse remained on the bridge and Mrs. Ledgerwood and her baby got out of the buggy without injury, and with the assistance of those who saw the accident. The horse was gotten out of the river and was uninjured. The buggy was broken very little.

Basket Dinner at Barnard.

The Christian church will hold the annual meeting and basket dinner on Sunday, and is making arrangements for a big time. This will be the last Sunday for the pastor of the church, Rev. J. Arthur Dillinger, as he is going to attend Drake university at Des Moines the coming year. There will be Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11 o'clock and dinner at noon. At 2:30 in the afternoon the annual business meeting will be held, and evening services will be at 8 o'clock.

Left for the East.

Dr. R. MacLeod and Mrs. MacLeod and Mr. G. B. Holmes left Saturday morning for Alexandria Bay to attend the meeting of the North American Life Insurance meeting. They will visit many points in the east, and Mr. Holmes will visit his sister, Mrs. James I. Eddy, at Troy, N. Y.

Nearly Cut Her Finger Off.

Mrs. James Huffine of this city met with a painful injury Friday, when she nearly cut her finger off with a butcher knife. However, the physician in attendance thinks that he will be able to save the finger unless complications set in.

Show Sow Died This Morning.

Fred P. Robinson lost one of his prize winners in the death of a Poland-China sow at his farm Saturday morning. The sow had won a number of prizes. It is thought that death was due to the heat.

WHY THE WATER IS BAD?

What Manager Lou Denny Says About the Peculiar Disagreeable Odor of the Water.

The cause of the bad condition of the city water has been found, according to Manager Lou Denny. The water as, everyone has noticed, had a peculiar disagreeable odor. It was due to a quantity of baled straw being thrown into the river, and also loose straw from a threshing machine. It was done up the stream and above the dam by some parties who were not thinking what they were doing. The straw caused the water to sour, says Manager Denny, and that is the reason for the sour taste of the water.

The straw was taken out Friday and the water above the dam was turned out so that now it will not have that taste to it that has been noticeable for several days past. Every precaution is being taken to make the water as pure as possible.

Such carelessness of throwing everything in the river will be stopped by prosecuting the parties.

Manager Denny was of the opinion that a change in the water for the better will soon be noticed.

LEFT PROPERTY TO WIFE.

The Will of John T. Collinsworth of Ravenwood Filed in Probate Court.

The will of John T. Collinsworth, who died at his home in Ravenwood, August 1, was filed in probate court Friday afternoon. All of the real estate and personal property is left to the widow, Leona J. Collinsworth, and at her death the will says all of the real estate is to be divided, share and share alike, among the four children, Merlin A., Lavelle M., Elda G. and Alpha G. Collinsworth. The executors, according to the will, are Leona J. Collinsworth and J. S. Casteel. Mr. Casteel refused to serve and Mrs. Collinsworth will be the executor of the estate. The will was written January 10, 1912, and was witnessed by Fay H. Casteel and Wm. H. Yearly.

MOVING RURAL ROUTE.

Conception Junction Was Given Its First Rural Mail Route Friday—Was R. R. No. 4 at Clyde.

Clyde postoffice lost its rural mail route No. 4 Friday, when it was given to the postoffice at Conception Junction. This is the Junction's first rural mail route, and is route No. 1 at that place. This change was made because those on the Clyde route are of easier access to Conception Junction's post office.

ARCH EDWARDS IN TOWN.

Mr. Edwards and His Family of Oklahoma City, Okla., Here Saturday in Car.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Edwards and children of Oklahoma City, Okla., arrived in Maryville Friday night and spent the night here. They are on their way to Chicago in their automobile. Mr. Edwards is well known here, being a former resident of this city. They left this afternoon on their trip to Chicago.

Visitor From Colorado.

Mrs. Russ Peter of near Skidmore, and her guest, Mrs. Viola Coston Bell of Wray, Col., were Maryville visitors Saturday. Mrs. Bell formerly lived in Maryville with her parents in her school days. She is now a teacher in the schools of Ft. Morgan, Col. Her mother was a sister of Mrs. Theophilus Peter of Skidmore. Mrs. Coston is accompanied by her son. They expect to leave for their home next Wednesday.

Home From Colorado.

Miss Helen Dougan of the Remus department store returned Friday morning from a six weeks' vacation in various points in Colorado. She visited three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar LeBlanc at Holyoke, Col., and with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. LaBlanc at Sterling, Col. The remainder of the time was spent in Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Denver, Julesburg and Sedgewick.

Visited Relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Broyles of Hopkins returned home Saturday from a week's visit in Maryville with Mrs. S. E. Broyles of Loveland, Col., and Mrs. William Armstrong. Mrs. Broyles is at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. H. Leach, on East Third street. She is recovering nicely from a surgical operation she underwent three weeks ago at St. Francis hospital.

Piece of Steel in Eye.

John LaVelle, who is employed with the workmen at the work of tearing down the water tower, got a tiny piece of steel in his eye Thursday and is laying off as a result. He is getting along all right, however, as the steel did not penetrate the ball deeply.

\$20,000 TO THE BAD

BRIDGE FUND OF COUNTY IS TOTALLY EXHAUSTED.

TALK OF MORE BONDS

Indebtedness of County Reduced to \$11,000 by Payment of \$24,000—Proposed Issue for Bridges.

The bonded indebtedness of the county is now only \$11,000, since the county has paid off \$24,000 of the poorhouse bonds, such payment having been made this week. There were forty-eights of these bonds taken up of \$500 each, and they were held by the Kansas City school district sinking fund. The remaining \$11,000 is also the county poorhouse issue, and is not due until February 1, 1918. However, it can be paid off at any interest paying date.

Since the county is in such good shape there has been some talk that a bond issue should be submitted to build county bridges. While no action has been taken and probably will not for some time, yet the proposition is being received with favor, as it is well known that not much work can be done on bridges on account of the lack of funds.

The present time the county bridge fund is nearly \$20,000 to the bad and the county court has made an order that no new bridges will be ordered in by that body the remaining months of this year. So far this year there has been only a few bridges put in.

The bridges of the county are in bad shape.

And the county will never have their bridges in good condition until there are sufficient funds to carry on the work, and there are no prospects for such fund unless the county should be bonded for that purpose. There are any number of bridges in the county at present that are in very bad condition, but nothing can be done to relieve the condition.

Will Look Maryville Over.

According to the Worth County Times of Grant City, Secretary Good of the Murray Cement Culvert Form company of this place is in receipt of a letter inviting him to come to Maryville and look the town over with the view to establishing a factory there for making the forms. It would mean much to Maryville, as it will give employment to quite a number of mechanics. The company owns one machine that weighs four tons, one that weighs 3,000 pounds and five that weigh from 150 to 1,000 pounds. In a few years the Murray cement culvert form will be the only one in use, because it is so practical that it will commend itself to intelligent road builders.

Are Seeking Damages.

Arthur Cotter and Earl Richards of Guilford were in Maryville Thursday to confer with legal men in regard to getting damages from Cecil Wilson of this city for injuries they received one night during the Barnard picnic, when their buggy was run into and smashed up at a point west of Barnard, and were so painfully injured that they had to be taken back to Barnard for medical attention. The young men claim that Wilson is guilty of malicious carelessness, as there was plenty of room for him to pass them without any danger whatever of a collision.

Came From Oklahoma.</h2

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John Mitchell Hurt.

As John Mitchell of near Skidmore was putting hay into his barn Saturday morning the rope on the hay fork broke, letting the fork fall on the back of his neck. It was at first thought that Mr. Mitchell was fatally injured, but Dr. Lee of Skidmore, who was summoned, found no bones broken. His injury is painful and his back was also bruised.

Good Rain at Barnard.

A good rain was falling at Barnard Saturday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, and the prospects at Guilford for a good shower were good.

A Meeting of Official Board.

A meeting of the official board of the First M. E. church has been called for Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the church parsonage.

On Visit to Sister.

Mrs. L. B. Walker of St. Joseph arrived Saturday on a visit to Mrs. S. A. Helwig and Misses Orrell and Katherine Helwig.

Marriage Licenses.

Elmer L. Ecker..... Elmo
Stella F. King..... Elmo
Albert P. Killion..... Parnell
Cynthia A. New..... Hopkins

Visiting at Stanberry.

A. J. Croy and son, Homer Croy of New York went to Stanberry Saturday to visit relatives.

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Godsey announce the birth of a son, born to them Friday night.

Miss Kittie Bonewitz of Hopkins came to Maryville Saturday morning and spent the day here, and left in the evening for St. Joseph to spend a few weeks in the wholesale millinery houses before taking her work at Genoa, Neb. She was accompanied by Miss Fern Little of Genoa, who had been visiting her and is returning home.

Clement Hahn, Miss Gladys Hahn and Miss Myrtle Hahn, went to St. Joseph Saturday morning to spend a week with their aunt, Mrs. A. D. Simmons.

James Stundon will return to his employment at Shenandoah, Ia., Saturday evening, after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stundon.

Mrs. Gabe Purcell of Conception Junction and W. H. Swinford of Arkoo are the Chautauqua guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford.

Will Smith of Kansas City, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith, will return to his employment Monday.

Miss Tene Wood of Hopkins is visiting her grandparents, Captain and Mrs. I. M. Woods.

Mrs. W. B. Enis of Clyde is the guest of her sister, Miss Jennie Vardie.

Mayor Arthur S. Robey went to Sheridan Saturday on business.

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FOR THE LADIES

**News of Society
and Women's Clubs**

(Continued from Page 1)
Gray, Lieber Holmes, Clarence Perry and Eugene Cummins.

Home From Northern Trip.

Miss Louise Rowlett of Graham was the guest at the Montgomery-Wright camp Friday.

Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Edwards and children of Oklahoma City, Okla., were dinner guest Saturday noon of Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison.

To Be Married Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wadley left their own Tak-It-Ezy camp Friday and were all-day guests at Kamp Skott.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Barrow,

living west of Maryville, and Miss Margaret DeMoss of Stanberry were supper guests Friday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walker's camp.

Week-End House Party.

Miss Mayme Tilson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson, is the hostess of a week-end house party at the Tilson home, on North Market street. Her guests are St. Joseph girls, and included Miss Gladys and Helen Tilson, Miss Bess Sinclair and Miss Minnie Fry. Friday night, under the chaperonage of her parents, Miss Tilson gave a moonlight picnic in an ideal spot two miles north of town, with a "weenie roast," too. The guests, aside from those already named were Harry Upchulte, George Sillers, Paul Thompson, Perry Crandall, Ed Kirch and Lawrence Tilson.

HOPKINS.

Frank Peck of St. Joseph visited last Friday with his sister, Mrs. E. C. Woifers, Sr.

Clarice Frances, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gormley, is recovering from a severe sick spell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Appleton and son left last Friday morning in their new auto for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Arch Stewart at Clinton, Ia. On their return they will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Stewart was formerly Miss Nellie Appleton.

Fred Gray, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Lou Coleman, and three children, left Monday for a visit with relatives in Denver, Col. We understand Fred is thinking of remaining in the west permanently.

Mrs. Galen Goodson, who was reported quite sick the first of the week, is much better.

Mrs. Caleb Miller, the wife of our city marshal, has been critically ill the past week, and may be taken soon to the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn., for an operation.

Rev. Tinkham and family, who were here for a very pleasant visit last week, left Monday morning for their home at Russell, Ia. Rev. Tinkham preached an excellent sermon to his former congregation here last Sunday morning.

Rev. Henry Hepburn will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, and as Rev. Hepburn is very popular with the people of Hopkins and vicinity, a large attendance is expected.

Dr. Kirk has a new automobile, and is already quite an expert driver, especially if the road is good and level. The doctor's services are very much in demand, but we think he ought to be able to give his patients the proper care, as he now has a team of horses, a motorcycle and an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones went to St. Joseph and Kansas City this week for the purpose of buying new goods for their store.

Mr. Mason A. Mitchel of Conway, Ark., arrived Wednesday night for a visit with the family of N. Otis, south of town.

A business change took place this week, when Lloyd Burch and Harvey Howard purchased the O. Lewis restaurant. As this is the only restaurant in town, it is considered one of the best paying proposition in town, and both Mr. Burch and Mr. Howard are to be congratulated on getting such a good business. As both of these young men are hustlers it is expected they will make a success. Mr. Lewis, the former proprietor, will take a much needed rest.

Ted Rusk commenced working for A. J. Gordon this week, taking the place vacated by Lloyd Burch.

Mrs. E. C. Woifers, Sr., very delightfully entertained the Salad club at her home last Friday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in playing 500. Mrs. Woifers winning her own prize, a sterling silver ice tea spoon.

J. H. Moneyhan will close out the remainder of his stock of goods at auction Saturday and will leave soon after for his former home in Iowa.

Mrs. A. H. Mutti and sons visited last week at Grant City, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dalby.

Miss Harry Miller, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ingram, left Thursday for her new home at Eagleville, Mo., where her

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husband has purchased a grocery store.

Jack Morehead, son of "Deacon" Morehead of the Journal, left Wednesday morning for a two weeks' visit with his uncle, Dr. John Morehead at Neodesha, Kan.

Miss Belle Blackman, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Paul Laippe, for the last month, left Tuesday afternoon for her home at Liberty, Mo. She was accompanied by her grandfather, A. Norton.

A number of fans will go to Clarinda Friday, where the Hopkins ball team will play two games.

Charles McMaster of Twin Falls, Idaho, made a short visit here with his mother this week, leaving Wednesday night for Iowa points, where he expects to buy horses.

The rain that we were supposed to get did not materialize and we are still sweltering in the heat. Hopkins really envies the Maryville Chautauqua campers who were disturbed in their slumbers on account of the rain. We would be glad to spend the night fixing guy ropes, tent poles, etc., and would even be willing to have a case of "nerves" for the sake of a good rain. This is no joking matter, as a rain even now will only save part of the corn crop, and we had such bright prospects a few weeks ago for a bumper crop.

Sick Barnard Girl Improving.

Miss Edith Goforth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Goforth of Barnard, who has been very ill for three months, is improving. Miss Edith suffered a relapse during her illness and was in a critical condition.

"His Crooked Career," "The Lost Combination" and the Mutual Weekly in latest current events at the Star tonight.

Here For Chautauqua.

Miss Ottilia Dueker and Miss Elfreida Dueker of Pickering are in Maryville Saturday to attend the Chautauqua programs.

-Alice Joyce at the Fern tonight.

Mrs. J. H. VanHorn and Miss Hazel VanHorn went to St. Joseph Saturday morning for a short visit. They were accompanied by Jessie Louella VanHorn of St. Joseph, who has been visiting them three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kirker who have been visiting in the city with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers and other relatives, left Saturday morning for their home at Bosworth, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Courtney and daughter of Kansas City arrived Thursday night on a visit to Mrs. Courtney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Stephenson.

Alice Joyce at the Fern tonight.



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FRESH TROUBLE FOR DIGGS

Taken to Police Station, Following Row With Photographers.

ALL ARE LOADED INTO WAGON

One of Newspaper Camera Men Smashed in Face as Result of Chasing Defendant and His Relatives. Government Rests Case.

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—Maury L. Diggs got into fresh trouble—and out of it. Leaving the federal building by a side entrance to shield his wife, his mother, his father and three aunts from public curiosity, he was ambushed by a squad of newspaper photographers. The women tried to run, but the photographers kept pace with them, snapping their cameras as they gave chase.

Somebody snatched at a camera. Somebody punched a photographer in the face. Bystanders joined in and in instant there was a free-for-all fight at the center of a swirling crowd. Drew Caminetti was swept into the vortex and began to struggle with the rest. It became so complicated that the squad of police who came running to the melee bundled the whole party of principals into a patrol wagon and took them to the nearest station.

There it developed after much argument that one photographer had been hammered on the head with something hard, what or by whom he couldn't be sure. A reporter said that the photographer had been smashed in the face with his own camera. As the upshot of the whole affair Diggs was released and a friend of his, a law clerk, was charged with battery.

In the more serious troubles that just now engross the attention of Diggs, the government rested and the defense took up the burden of proving that he and F. Drew Caminetti did not transport Marsha Warrington and Lola Norris from Sacramento to Reno for immoral purposes, in violation of the Mann white slave traffic act.

POLICE FIND MISSING GIRL

Millionaire One of Men Held on Charges of Coral Mason.

Los Angeles, Aug. 16.—Two arrests, with more promised, resulted from the finding by the police of Carol Mason, a fifteen-year-old girl, who had been missing two weeks. Henry W. Haskamp, formerly of Prince Rupert, B.C., now a real estate dealer here, and Robert Burton, a young salesman, were arrested on suspicion pending the filing of charges of delinquency. Haskamp is a millionaire and the owner of rich oil properties in British Columbia.

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MARTIN H. GLYNN.

By Impeachment of Governor Sulzer He Is Acting Governor.



REFUSES TO LET COURTS DECIDE

Glynn Checkmates Movement of Sulzer for Arbitration.

MRS. SULZER SERIOUSLY ILL

Remains in Precarious Condition, at Times Delirious—Husband Asserts Scalawags Have Brought Her Name Into Affair—His Only Worry.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Martin H. Glynn checkmated the movement of William Sulzer to invoke the arbitration of the courts on the question as to which of the two is the present law chief executive of the state of New York.

Replying to the formal proposal by the impeached executive to submit the issue to adjudication on an agreed statement of facts, Mr. Glynn declared it was beyond his power to "hasten away any of the functions attaching to the office in which I am placed by your impeachment."

"Any attempt on my part to do so," he said, "or to stipulate a method by which it might be done, would properly place me in the position you now occupy—that of being impeached for malfeasance in office."

Mr. Glynn declared further that he

LOBBIED FROM INSIDE HOUSE

Former Chief Page Tells Committee of Working for Mulhall.

Washington, Aug. 16.—A story of how lobby work for the National Association of Manufacturers was done from the inside of the house of representatives was related to the house investigating committee by J. H. McMichaels, former chief page of the house. Nattily attired in a sumptuous outfit of blue and white serge, McMichaels blew clouds of cigarette smoke in the faces of the members of the committee from the witness chair, while he discoursed in vivid and picturesque language.

From the fall of 1909 until January, 1912, McMichaels said, he was almost constantly on the payroll of Martin M. Mulhall, the National Association of Manufacturers' field agent, at \$50 a month, while he was successively Democratic chief page of the house, attendant in the house press gallery and elevator conductor in the capitol. He told of introducing Mulhall to Representative James E. McDermott of Illinois, for whom he worked as a kind of secretary, and said that McDermott worked with Mulhall and provided the latter with a room in the basement of the capitol, where McDermott, McMichael and Mulhall conferred.

"Did you ever see any money pass between Mulhall and McDermott?" asked Chairman Garrett.

"I never seen any money actually pass between them," said the witness, leaning back in his chair and pausing to puff at his cigarette.

"But I had reason to believe that plenty of it was passing. I got mine open and above board."

"Why did you have reason to believe money was passing?"

The witness leaned forward and pointed the committee table.

"I'm not a fool," he declared vigorously. "When two guys like me and McDermott sit down at a table and the two of us ain't got a penny and a third guy comes in and we have eats and drinks and get up with dough, I know that dough don't grow on trees, or on the table."

JURY EXONERATES DUPREY

Enraged Father Who Killed Assailant of Daughter Is Released.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—An enraged father who killed the man the courts had acquitted of the charge of attacking his thirteen-year-old daughter was exonerated by a coroner's jury.

The verdict said that Edward J. Duprey was "laboring under a great mental strain on account of injury he believed done to his daughter by the deceased when he shot and killed Henry Gronimus."

Duprey was released from custody by the police. His two daughters, one eleven, the other thirteen, were the only witnesses before the coroner's jury. They testified that they had been attacked by Gronimus, who was a photographer, in his studio. Duprey, a tailor, killed the photographer in front of his home after Gronimus had been freed on the charge of assaulting Stella Duprey, the elder daughter. After the shooting he disappeared, but later gave himself up to the police.

War at Minot Near an End.

Minot, N. D., Aug. 16.—Overtures for a peaceful settlement of the trouble growing out of attempts of Industrial Workers of the World to conduct street meetings and organize a union of farm hands have been made by leaders of the organization and authorities believe the labor war here is nearing an end.

Guardian for Miss Nobles.

St. Louis, Aug. 16.—The probate court has appointed a guardian for Miss Palmyra A. Nobles, fifty-five years old, to look after her property interests. The guardian was appointed at the request of Miss Nobles.

The Weather.

Fair, slightly cooler.

Caucus Talks Currency.

Washington, Aug. 16.—After three hours of lively discussion between the administration forces and the currency insurgents, the house Democratic caucus adjourned until Monday.

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We have just received a beautiful line of solid gold pendants at prices that will surprise you.

Some of these can be bought for \$1.50.

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Yes here we are six strong old line companies, for all business we can get.

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To Detroit, Mich., and return... \$25.55

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Parties who desire may use Lake Steamer between Detroit and Buffalo in either direction on tickets to Buffalo, N. Y., and beyond.

To Toronto, Can., and return... \$31.10

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To any other points you may be interested in, ask us about "Tourist Rates." If there is anything good on tap the Wabash has it, and not only that, but on all tourist tickets we will deliver them to you personally any place in the city.

E. L. Ferritor
WABASH AGENT.

Returned to St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lippman and children of St. Louis, who have been visiting in Maryville several weeks with their parents and relatives, left for their home Saturday morning. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lippman's mother, who will spend two weeks with them.

Minister Praises This Laxative.

Rev. H. Stubenvoll of Allison, Ia., in praising Dr. King's New Life Pills for constipation, writes: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are such perfect pills no home should be without them." No better regulator for the liver and bowels. Every pill guaranteed. Try them. Price 25c, at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.—Advertisement.

Going to St. Louis.

Bernie Harris and son Irwin will leave Saturday night for St. Louis. Mr. Harris will buy the fall and winter stock of clothing for the Harris clothing store, and Irwin will visit relatives and boy friends in his former home.

HER FRIEND'S GOOD ADVICE

The Results Made This Newburg Lady Glad She Followed Suggestion.

Newburg, Ala.—"For more than a year," writes Myrtle Cotherum, of this place, "I suffered with terrible pains in my back and head. I had a sallow complexion, and my face was covered with pimples. Our family doctor only gave me temporary relief."

A friend of mine advised me to try Cardui, so I began taking it, at once, and with the best results, for I was cured after taking two bottles. My mother and my aunt have also used Cardui and were greatly benefited.

I shall always praise Cardui to sick and suffering women."

Cardui is a purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, tonic remedy for women, and will benefit young and old.

Its ingredients are mild herbs, having a gentle, tonic effect on the womanly constitution.

Cardui has helped a million women back to health and strength.

Have you tried it? If not, please do. It may be just what you need.

R. E.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chatanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

HENRY D. CLAYTON.

He Has Been Appointed Senator From Alabama to Succeed Johnston, Deceased



By American Press Association.

Surprise was expressed by Democratic leaders of the United States senate when they learned that Governor O'Neal of Alabama had disregarded their advice and had appointed Representative Henry D. Clayton to succeed the late Senator Johnston without express authority from the Alabama legislature. Mr. Clayton was born in Barbour county, Ala., in 1857. His father was a major general in the Confederate army.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW OF TRADE

Distribution of Merchandise Continues in Normal Volume.

New York, Aug. 16.—Dun's Review says:

Current distribution of merchandise continues in normal volume, while steady preparations are being made for an active fall and winter business. Conservatism has been accentuated somewhat by the damage to corn, yet in a broad sense crop conditions are still promising, and with remunerative prices prevailing another prosperous year is assured. The heavy movement of agricultural products to market contributes liberally to transportation revenues, while the exports of grain and other commodities add materially to credit balances abroad.

Domestic monetary considerations have become a matter of less concern and political developments in Europe also make for an easier situation there. Changes in strictly mercantile and industrial conditions are of a mixed character with favorable features predominating.

Failures for the week numbered 272.

NEW TROTTING RECORD MADE

Dudie Archdale and Anvil Go Three Heats in Fast Time.

Detroit, Aug. 16.—A world's record for three heats in a trotting race was established at the close of the Grand Circuit meet at the state fair track when F. G. Jones of Memphis drove Dudie Archdale to victory in the free-for-all, with Anvil, Geers up, contesting every inch of the way. The time for the three heats was 2:04 1/4, 2:04 1/4 and 2:04 1/4, Anvil winning the first heat and Dudie Archdale the next two.

Man is Drowned in Carter Lake.

Omaha, Aug. 16.—George F. Thomas was drowned in Carter lake, off Larson's landing. He was taken with cramps while diving.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., \$7 1/4c; Dec., 30 1/2c. Corn—Sept., 7 1/4c; Dec., 69 1/2c. Oats—Sept., 43 1/4c; Dec., 45 1/2c. Pork—Sept., \$20.25; Jan., \$18.67 1/4. Lard—Sept., \$11.07 1/2c; Oct., \$11.12 1/2c. Ribs—Sept., \$10.95; Oct., \$10.85. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$7 1/2@8 3/4c; No. 2 corn, 75 1/2@75 1/4c; No. 2 white oats, new, 43 1/4c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; strong: beefeves, \$7.00@9.00; western steers, \$6.20@7.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.45@7.90; cows and heifers, \$3.60@8.30; calves, \$8.00@11.00. Hogs—Receipts, 19,000; strong: 15c higher: bulk of sales, \$7.80@8.50; light, \$8.35@8.90; heavy, \$7.35@8.55; rough, \$7.35@7.60; pigs, \$4.00@7.90. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; strong: westerns, \$4.66@4.65; yearlings, \$4.85@5.75; lambs, \$5.25@7.50.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 900; 10@15c higher for the week; beef steers, \$7.25@8.90; cows and heifers, \$3.50@7.25; stockers and calves, \$5.60@7.50; bulls, \$5.25@6.75; 5,800; 5c higher: bulk of sales, \$7.45@7.70; top, \$8.50. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; 25@40c higher than last week; lambs, \$6.75@7.40; wethers, \$4.15@5.00; ewes, \$3.00@4.50.

CAPONS ARE PROFITABLE.

What the Missouri Poultry Experiment Station Has to Say About That Matter.

In a circular, the Missouri poultry experiment station at Mountain Grove, Mo., T. E. Quisenberry, director, has the following to say about capons being profitable:

Thousands of Missouri cockerels are marketed every season at a price that hardly pays for the feed they have eaten, to say nothing of the care and trouble required to raise them. Why hold your males until they become staggy, develop small spurs, weigh from four to six pounds, and sell on the market for only 15 to 40 cents each, depending on the size, quality and market conditions? These same cockerels as capons would weigh eight to twelve pounds each and bring from 18 to 25 cents per pound, live weight. If you don't expect to caponize them, then sell your surplus cockerels as broilers or friers.

In view of these facts, the question naturally arises, "Why are there not more capons?" There are several reasons. A great many people do not know that there is such a thing as a capon. Still others consider the operation of caponizing either difficult or cruel, and refuse to attempt it. Probably the most common reason, however, is that very few people realize how much more profitable the capon is than the cockerel.

A capon is a desexed cockerel, and bears the same relation to the rooster that the steer does to the bull. The capon loses practically all its male instinct and much resembles the hen in general appearance, shape and disposition. The capon is quiet, never fights, crows or bothers the hens. Its time and energy seem to be entirely spent in eating, growing and getting fat.

The operation of caponizing is so simple and easy that a 10-year-old child of ordinary intelligence can easily learn to perform it. With a little practice one becomes very skillful, and can caponize from twenty to forty cockerels per hour.

The cockerels should be caponized when they are quite small, not much larger than quails. This is usually when they are from 6 to 10 weeks old. At this time the testicles are about the size of a plum grain of wheat or perhaps as large as a bean. The loss of blood and shock of the operation is such that it is not advisable to caponize cockerels after they begin to crow and worry the hens. When performed on young 2-months-old cockerels there is very little loss of blood, and practically no pain connected with the operation.

It is important to get good caponizing instruments. They will last a life-time and save trouble. Two of the leading manufacturers of caponizing instruments are the Capon Tool company, Cedar Vale, Kan., and the G. P. Flilling & Son Co., Philadelphia, Pa. We can recommend others if desired. All capon tool manufacturers send complete instructions for caponizing with their tools, so that it is unnecessary to give detailed instructions with each set of tools.

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Capon bring the highest prices from January to May each year. The larger capons the higher the price per pound. For this reason it rarely pays to market capons before they are 9 to 12 months old. Naturally the larger breeds, such as the Brahmans, Orpingtons, Plymouth Rocks, and similar varieties, make the best capons.

If you get your cockerels in the right condition before you attempt to caponize them, the operation is half performed. Keep them confined to a coop which should be placed in a dark, cool room. Do not feed or allow them to have a drop of water for at least thirty-six hours before they are operated on. There will be little or no bleeding in this case. After caponizing, the capons should be kept in a clean, quiet, cool pen for a week, until the wounds have time to heal. During this time they should be given soft feed and plenty of pure water. Don't feed too freely immediately following the operation. It is a good plan to examine the operation for "wind puffs," which sometimes form under the skin. These can be reduced by puncturing one side of the swelling with a sharp darning needle or penknife. After a week they can be turned out with the rest of the flock.

Keep the capons growing nicely until about three weeks before marketing, when they should be penned and fattened. Seventy pounds of corn meal, thirty pounds dry beef scraps and ten pounds of wheat bran make an excellent fattening food. Mix about two pounds of buttermilk or sour milk with each pound of the above mash mixture, and feed all they will clean up in twenty or thirty minutes. Feed this twice a day. Also give them all the grit and charcoal they will eat. Corn meal made sloppy with buttermilk or sour milk makes a splendid fattening ration.

In dressing capons for market never cut off the head, as the head with the undeveloped comb is the feature that proves to the city buyers that the

birds marketed really are capons. In picking, it is usually customary to leave the head and hackle feathers, the feathers on the wings to the second joint, the tail feathers, including those a little way up the back, and the feathers on the legs half way up the thighs.

Most Missouri poultry raisers will probably prefer to sell their capons alive rather than dressed. Since the marketing of capons is a new departure in most sections of the state, some difficulty may be experienced in getting the local buyers to quote a special price on them. Most of them, however, will be glad to do so. This station will always be glad to assist in finding markets, either for capons, broilers, market poultry of all kinds, or eggs.

In making capons profitable the five most essential things which you must keep in mind are as follows:

1. The most important thing is to see that the birds are in proper condition before being caponized. They must be kept in a cool, dark place, without feed or water, for at least thirty-six hours before caponizing.

2. Caponize when the birds are ripe—just before the comb shows much sign of development. In most varieties this is just about the time you can begin to tell the cockerels from the pullets. It is better to have them too small than too large.

3. Good instruments are a necessity. You cannot prevent deaths and "slips" without them.

4. Operate from both sides. Make the incision and remove the organ next to you. Then turn the bird over and repeat the operation. This method is best for amateurs. Operate on two or three dead cockerels which you have killed for frying until you can readily locate the organs and become familiar with the operation.

5. Cockerels should be marketed as broilers or friers, or else caponized. As a general rule, cockerels which cannot be profitably marketed at a weight of two pounds or less by July 1st should be caponized. Don't market capons and "slips" in the same crate. Fatten them before marketing.

Miss Melba Appleby of Pickering, who has been the Chautauqua guest of Misses Lega and Leska Wray, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Anna McKinney of Atchison, Kan., arrived Saturday on a visit to Mrs. M. J. Heffern.

REVELERS PAID FOR SPEECH

Old-Time Methodist Exhorter Had Strenuous Experience With Wild Men in Wild Region.

John Lewis Dyer was an itinerant Methodist exhorter in the early forties in the Sioux country, and one of his strenuous experiences with white men in that wild region is told in a volume, "Missionary Explorers Among the American Indians," compiled by Mary Gay Humphreys. At Lincoln City a party of Christmas celebrants called just at daylight, roused up the preacher, and told him he must go with them to "Walker's," and either treat or make a temperance speech. He went. "There were over 40 men, and they called for a chairman or moderator, but they were too drunk to nominate, but they were too drunk to nominate, and I got upon my box and made my arrest, and proposed to make a speech. They said: 'Go on, I said: Gentlemen, I will tell you what I think. There is not a man here but would be ashamed of his father or mother, his sister or brother, to know just our condition here this morning.' They stamped and roared: 'That's so, all over the house. And next,' I continued, if we were not so drunk we would not be here.' Cheered: 'That's so, too,' all over the house. And if we were a little drunker, we would not do what we are doing. (Cheers.) I wound up and was about to leave, when the judge said: 'I move that we vote that everything Mr. Dyer said is true,' and they gave a rousing vote. He said, 'The ayes have it,' but that I must not go yet, and made and put a motion that they all give Mr. Dyer one dollar apiece, and that was also carried. They took the hat, got \$20, and I thanked them and went home to breakfast."

Oaths Taken on Ancient Bell.

The most highly prized of the old relics which have been sent for display at the Irish art exhibition in London is the old Bell of St. Senan. This precious article, associated with the famous saint of County Clare who lived on an island in the Shannon, has been lent for exhibition by Marcus Keane of Buchpark, Ennis, in the possession of whose family it has been for time immemorial. It was in great demand in far off times for the purpose of taking oaths, the person wearing taking the bell in his hands as he uttered the words.

The bell itself is incased in a shrine or very antique and artistic design, about six inches in length and between two and three inches in width. The shrine is composed of silver plates, inlaid with brass, and embellished—in addition to very beautiful ornamentation in the Celtic interlaced patterns—with quaint figures, including a winged Sphinx, with the head of a woman and dragons in the Gothic style. There are also green stones set in the pillars. Possibly there was some manifestation, such as a lightning flash. Meantime, the wind had changed to the south. Before the Egyptians could extricate themselves the water was upon them, and they soon were overwhelmed.

There is nothing in this account to stagger faith. United States Government Reports show that the waters of Lake Erie have varied as much as fifteen feet at Toledo, by reason of change of wind, and without any special hurricane. What has staggered our faith in the past was the statement that the Sea constituted a wall on either side of the Israelites. But the word wall in its broadest sense signifies barricade. The United States has the Atlantic as a protective wall on one side and the Pacific on the other.

If the Bible is interpreted with a little common sense it is entirely reasonable, rich in knowledge and wisdom from on High.

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BROOKLYN TABERNACLE

BIBLE STUDY ON

CROSSING THE RED SEA.

Exodus 14:19-31—Aug. 17.

"Before they call, I will answer."—Isaiah 65:24.

HEBREWS 11:33-39—Aug. 18.

THE BIBLE STORY OF ISRAEL'S MIRACULOUS CROSSING OF THE RED SEA.

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FOR THE LADIES

FRIDAY'S CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM DEVOTED TO THEM.

TWO CAPABLE LECTURES

Dr. Spurgeon Gives Advice to the Married and Those Who Wish to Be—Mrs. Jones Gives Talk.

This Evening's Program.

7:30—Prelude song recital, Mrs. Ella Van Huff.

8:00—Play, "Hiawatha," by Ojibway Indian company.

Sunday's Program.

Morning:

2:00—Prelude concert by Maryville Concert band, T. B. Maulding, director.

2:45—Sermon, Dr. E. Combie Smith.

4:30—Concert, Maryville Concert band.

Evening:

7:45—Prelude concert, Maryville Concert band.

8:30—Lecture, "Grapes of Gold," H. V. Adams.

The women held the principal place in Friday's Chautauqua program. Beside the usual morning program, which is devoted to them, the afternoon and evening programs were by and about women. In the afternoon Dr. William Spurgeon of London delivered his second lecture of the season. His subject was "Advice to the Married and Those Who Wish to Be," the most important part of which was devoted to the women. In the evening Mrs. Nellie Kedzie Jones lectured on "The Girl Who Can." The Missouri Ladies Military band gave three concerts during the day.

Dr. Spurgeon's lecture was humorously serious. He said that he had first prepared it because of the appalling number of divorces in this country, in the hope that it might do some good toward checking that evil. In it he scored the bachelors and said they need expect no mercy or sympathy from them. The old maids, he thought, were not to blame for their condition, but were the victims of inconstant men.

The first advice he gave was to the young men and women who wished to be married. He urged the young men to look further than a pretty face in the selection of their wives, to seek a girl whose accomplishments and personality would continue to attract him after her beauty had faded. He warned the young women against trying to reform worthless fellows. The reformation of the fellow who promised to give up drink as soon as he was married is scarcely a success, he said. The best index to the man who will make a good husband is to find out how he treats his mother.

Turning his attention to the married folk, Dr. Spurgeon advised them to keep up their courtship after marriage. He told the husbands to continue to bestow the little thoughtful attentions on their wives, to bring them candy or flowers now and then and take them to the theaters. The women must keep up their side of the home life. They should do their best to make the home pleasant and make themselves capable. The woman who does not know how to order and prepare the food for the family falls a great way in the estimation of her husband, he said. And above all, they must not carry their domestic troubles to the neighbors. That is the way in which scandal starts.

The lecture of Mrs. Jones on "The Girl Who Can" was a plea for the furtherance of education among women, an education fitting them for the home, and a discussion of the work which has already been done along that line. In it she praised the work of Miss Hettie Anthony in her department.

SAVE YOUR COUPONS

This week at the Fern. Saturday night we will give as a prize a round trip ticket to Kansas City, Mo., over the new trolley line out of St. Joseph.

Glasses that Fit the Eyes Correctly

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ment of domestic science in the Normal.

Mrs. Jones told of the careful and thorough training which has been given to the professions for men for many years and of the importance which we attached to the schooling of our doctors, lawyers and, more recently, farmers have. Then in contrast to this she brought out the lack of training given to the girls, who, as wives and mothers, are in charge of the most important business in the world, the business of making homes and rearing families. The girl who goes to school and receives a liberal education and training in domestic science is best fitted to take charge of a home. She can make her home cleanly and fight disease in a scientific manner so that the health of the family is safeguarded. She knows how to properly prepare the food which goes on the table, the best foods to prepare that the most



REV. E. COMBIE SMITH.

Will appear on the Chautauqua platform Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday afternoon. Rev. Smith is pastor of the Linwood Boulevard M. E. Church of Kansas City.

nourishment can be obtained. This not only improves the health of herself, husband and children, but it enables them to work with the greatest efficiency. And then, she is able to answer the many questions that her children ask, to direct their thought and life that they may get the best possible start in the world. She is the girl who can.

This Saturday afternoon Mrs. Ella Van Huff gave the prelude song recital, followed by an entertainment by the Hiawatha Indians, a party of ten Ojibway Indians from Canada. The afternoon program closed with a band concert by the ladies.

The attendance Saturday was very large, and Sunday, the closing day, the attendance promises to be very large.

Camp Notes.

Miss Maud McMurray of Bolckow was the guest of Mrs. Charles Airey and Miss Golda Airey at their camp Friday. Miss McMurray is here on a visit with her brother, George Murray, and family, and with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bellows.

Miss Bessie Aley and Misses Ola and Ora King were guests at Camp Hospitality Friday.

Mrs. George W. Rose of Stanberry arrived Friday evening to spend the remainder of the Chautauqua season with her daughter, Miss Virginia Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mathers of Barnard were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Yeaman at the Yeaman-Porter camp Friday.

The girls of the Hum Drum club are brave, ambitious and aspiring, as well as altogether lovely. We can prove it so. On Friday they had for their guest Miss Hettie Anthony, head of the domestic science department of the Northwest Normal. And they prepared a luncheon for her. Think of it! And she praised them and their luncheon. And that was certainly dear to them. Then, on Friday night after Mrs. Nellie Kedzie Jones' lecture on "The Girl Who Can," they served a luncheon of coffee, sandwiches, olives and watermelon, at which Homer Croy, the wise and witty editor of Leslie's and Judge in New York, was the honor guest. The other members of the company were Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard, Miss Alice Porter, Dr. Earl C. Braniger, Edward (Continued on page 2.)

RATES COME DOWN TO PLEAD GUILTY

NEW PARCEL POST RULING PERMITS 20 POUNDS TO BE MAILED.

IT SAVES LEAD PENCILS COURT SESSION MONDAY

New Rate Takes Less Figuring Than the Old—Perishable Products Mailable in the First Zone.

Starting Friday the larger parcel post packages, weighing up to twenty pounds, are permitted to be mailed to points not over 150 miles from the original point, according to advices received by Postmaster S. R. Beech from Washington. Rates for distances under 150 miles are materially reduced, but no change is made, either in rates of the size of packages permitted, for greater distances.

The new regulations provide also for the acceptance of fresh meats and similar articles for mailing within the first and second zones, covering a distance of 150 miles, when properly wrapped.

The new scheme will permit of much less figuring and wear and tear on nerves and lead pencils than the old, for the regulations practically do away with the first zone, covering territory roughly, within fifty miles of the point of origin, and merge the first and second zones. Identical rates on all sized packages are made for the fifty-mile zone and the 150-mile zone.

The rates for local transportation of packages is slightly reduced on a number of sizes of parcels, being considerably less than for the first and second zones.

A very large proportion of all the parcels sent by mail are sent to this territory within 150 miles of Maryville, and the reduced rates will effect a material saving to the people of Maryville who are patrons of the postal package system.

The rates are unchanged for distance greater than 150 miles, and no packages that weigh more than eleven pounds, the same as heretofore.

The maps sent out by the government upon the inauguration of the parcel system are not affected by the new rates and the changes, though it must be kept in mind that the same rate applies to either the first or second zones, and that the rates, as well as the size of the packages, for those two zones and for local transportation are less than the schedule printed on the maps.

SOME HOT DAYS THIS WEEK.

It Was Up to 104 and Was Also Down to 90—Today the Temperature Was 101 at 2 o'clock.

This week has also been a hot one and there has been five days when the temperature was 100 and more. But Maryville has been very fortunate as we had three rains this week, one on Sunday night, one on Monday night and then one on Tuesday night, the three rains amounted to 1.87 inches.

The following are the temperatures for this week:

Sunday	100
Monday	90
Tuesday	97
Wednesday	104
Thursday	101
Friday	102
Saturday at 2 o'clock	101

According to the forecast, cooler weather is predicted for Sunday.

TO PREACH IN KANSAS CITY.

Rev. Gilbert S. Cox to Give Sermons in That City at the Grand Avenue Methodist Church.

Rev. Gilbert S. Cox left Saturday afternoon for Kansas City, and on Sunday will occupy the pulpit of the Grand Avenue Methodist Episcopal church in that city, both morning and evening. At the morning service Rev. Cox will sing "Fear Not Ye, O Israel," by Buck Rev. Cox preached at the Grand Avenue church last summer during his vacation, and this year the same church wanted him to preach during his vacation in that city. He consented to occupy the pulpit for one Sunday service.

BETTER ATTEND SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The First M. E. Church School Will Provide Free Transportation to Chautauqua.

All those who attend the Sunday school of the First M. E. church on Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock will be provided with free transportation from the church to the Chautauqua grounds for the morning sermon at 11 o'clock by Rev. Smith. An invitation is extended to everybody to attend the school.

WHY THE WATER IS BAD?

WHAT MANAGER LOU DENNY SAYS ABOUT THE PECCULAR DISAGREEABLE ODOR OF THE WATER.

PARNELL GREENELSH WILL NOT RESIST CHARGE, IF IT IS SAID.

COURT SESSION MONDAY

Adjourned Term of Circuit Court to Be Held Then—Saturday Last Service Day for September Term.

An adjourned term of circuit court will be held on Monday to dispose of a few criminal cases and also civil cases. Judge W. C. Ellison will be on the bench.

The criminal case of "Parnell" Greenelsh, who is charged with burglary and larceny, is slated to come up on that day. Greenelsh is charged with breaking into the depot at Burlington Junction a few weeks ago. He is going to plead guilty, so he told Sheriff Wallace.

There will probably be other criminal cases to come on that day.

The case of Mrs. Lawrence Grawney vs. Patrick J. and Joseph O'Donnell which was set for Monday, will not be called owing to the inability of the special judge, J. Woodson Peery of Albany, being unable to be here.

On Saturday, August 23, will be the last day of services for cases for the regular September term of circuit court, which will convene on Monday, September 22. This is a new term of court as provided by a recent law which went into effect on June 22.

NO CHURCH SERVICES SUNDAY.

All of the Protestant Churches to Dismiss for Day—There Will be Sunday School, However.

All of the Protestant churches in the city will dismiss their preaching services on Sunday on account of the Chautauqua. However, there will be Sunday school at the regular hour at all of the churches. At the Chautauqua Rev. Smith of Kansas City will give the morning sermon at 11 o'clock. In the evening a prelude concert by the Maryville band will be given, followed by a lecture by H. V. Adams.

ADMISSION WILL BE 35 CENTS.

The Sunday Morning Program at the Chautauqua Not to Be Free, But One Ticket Good For All Day.

The Sunday morning program at the Chautauqua will not be free, as some seem to think it would. There will be an admission fee of 35 cents, but that will be good for the entire day's program.

HORSE FELL INTO RIVER.

As Mrs. Harry Ledgerwood, who lives southeast of Maryville, was driving to Maryville early Saturday afternoon one of the horses she was driving caught its foot in the bridge over the river between the Mason and Bainum farms and fell into the river. One horse remained on the bridge and Mrs. Ledgerwood and her baby got out of the buggy without injury, and with the assistance of those who saw the accident. The horse was gotten out of the river and was uninjured. The buggy was broken very little.

BASKET DINNER AT BARNARD.

The Christian church will hold the annual meeting and basket dinner on Sunday, and is making arrangements for a big time. This will be the last Sunday for the pastor of the church, Rev. J. Arthur Dillinger, as he is going to attend Drake University at Des Moines the coming year. There will be Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11 o'clock and dinner at noon. At 2:30 in the afternoon the annual business meeting will be held, and evening services will be at 8 o'clock.

LEFT FOR THE EAST.

Dr. D. R. MacLeod and Mrs. MacLeod and Mr. G. B. Holmes left Saturday morning for Alexandria Bay to attend the meeting of the North American Life Insurance meeting. They will visit many points in the east, and Mr. Holmes will visit his sister, Mrs. James I. Eddy, at Troy, N. Y.

Nearly Cut Her Finger Off.

Mrs. James Huffine of this city met with a painful injury Friday, when she nearly cut her finger off with a butcher knife. However, the physician in attendance thinks that he will be able to save the finger unless complications set in.

SHOW SOW DIED THIS MORNING.

Fred P. Robinson lost one of his prize winners in the death of a Poland-China sow at his farm Saturday morning. The sow had won a number of prizes. It is thought that death was due to the heat.

\$20,000 TO THE BAD

BRIDGE FUND OF COUNTY IS TOTALLY EXHAUSTED.

TALK OF MORE BONDS

INDEBTEDNESS OF COUNTY REDUCED TO \$11,000 BY PAYMENT OF \$24,000 PROPOSED ISSUE FOR BRIDGES.

The bonded indebtedness of the county is now only \$11,000, since the county has paid off \$24,000 of the poorhouse bonds, such payment having been made this week. There were forty-eights of these bonds taken up of \$500 each, and they were held by the Kansas City school district sinking fund. The remaining \$11,000 is also the county poorhouse issue, and is not due until February 1, 1918. However, it can be paid off at any interest paying date.

Since the county is in such good shape there has been some talk that a bond issue should be submitted to build county bridges. While no action has been taken and probably will not for some time, yet the proposition is being received with favor, as it is well known that not much work can be done on bridges on account of the lack of funds.

At the present time the county bridge fund is nearly \$20,000 to the bad and the county court has made an order that no new bridges will be ordered in by that body the remaining months of this year. So far this year there has been only a few bridges put in. The bridges of the county are in bad shape. And the county will never have their bridges in good condition until there are sufficient funds to carry on the work, and there are no prospects for such fund unless the county should be bonded for that purpose. There are any number of bridges in the county at present that are in very bad condition, but nothing can be done to relieve the condition.

WILL LOOK MARYVILLE OVER.

According to the Worth County Times of Grant City, Secretary Good of the Murray Cement Culvert Company of this place is in receipt of a letter inviting him to come to Maryville and look the town over with the view to establishing a factory there for making the forms. It would mean much to Maryville, as it will give employment to quite a number of mechanics. The company owns one machine that weighs four tons, one that weighs 3,000 pounds and five that weigh from 150 to 1,100 pounds. In a few years the Murray cement culvert form will be the only one in use, because it is so practical that it will command itself to intelligent road builders.

ARE SEEKING DAMAGES.

Arthur Cotter and Earl Richards of Guiford were in Maryville Thursday to confer with legal men in regard to getting damages from Cecil Wilson of this city for injuries they received one night during the Barnard picnic, when their buggy was run into and smashed up at a point west of Barnard, and were so painfully injured that they had to be taken back to Barnard for medical attention. The young men claim that Wilson is guilty of malicious carelessness, as there was plenty of room for him to pass them without any danger whatever of a collision.

CAME FROM OKLAHOMA.

Mrs. Mary A. Smith, who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. George Partridge, at Cherokee, Okla., for two years, arrived in Maryville Friday on a visit to her son, P. M. Smith, and family, east of Maryville. Mrs. Smith had lived in Nodaway county forty-three years before going to Oklahoma.

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John Mitchell Hurt.

As John Mitchell of near Skidmore was putting hay into his barn Saturday morning the rope on the hay fork broke, letting the fork fall on the back of his neck. It was at first thought that Mr. Mitchell was fatally injured, but Dr. Lee of Skidmore, who was summoned, found no bones broken. His injury is painful and his back was also bruised.

Good Rain at Barnard.

A good rain was falling at Barnard Saturday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, and the prospects at Guilford for a good shower were good.

A Meeting of Official Board.

A meeting of the official board of the First M. E. church has been called for Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the church parsonage.

On Visit to Sister.

Mrs. L. B. Walker of St. Joseph arrived Saturday on a visit to Mrs. S. A. Holwig and Misses Orrell and Katherine Holwig.

Marriage Licenses.

Elmer L. Ecker..... Elmo
Stella F. King..... Elmo
Albert P. Killion..... Parnell
Cynthia A. New..... Hopkins

Visiting at Stanberry.

A. J. Croy and son, Homer Croy of New York went to Stanberry Saturday to visit relatives.

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Godsey announce the birth of a son, born to them Friday night.

Miss Kittle Bonewitz of Hopkins came to Maryville Saturday morning and spent the day here, and left in the evening for St. Joseph to spend a few weeks in the wholesale millinery houses before taking her work at Geneva, Neb. She was accompanied by Miss Fern Little of Geneva, who had been visiting her and is returning home.

Clement Hahn, Miss Gladys Hahn and Miss Myrtle Hahn, went to St. Joseph Saturday morning to spend a week with their aunt, Mrs. A. D. Simmons.

James Stundon will return to his employment at Skemando, Ia., Saturday evening, after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stundon.

Mrs. Gabe Purcell of Conception Junction and W. H. Swinford of Aransas are the Chautauqua guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford.

Will Smith of Kansas City, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith, will return to his employment Monday.

Miss Tena Wood of Hopkins is visiting her grandparents, Captain and Mrs. I. M. Woods.

Mrs. W. B. Enis of Clyde is the guest of her sister, Miss Jennie Vardie.

Mayor Arthur S. Robey went to Sheridan Saturday on business.

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FOR THE LADIES

(Continued from Page 1)
Gray, Lieber Holmes, Clarence Perry and Eugene Cummins.

Miss Louise Rowlett of Graham was the guest at the Montgomery-Wright camp Friday.

A slumber party will be given Saturday night at Walk In camp, where Mrs. James B. Robinson is hostess. The party will include Mrs. Robinson, Misses Leila and Margaret Chilton, Miss Laura Barnmann, Miss Katherine Carpenter, Miss Winifred Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wadley left their own Tak-It-Ezy camp Friday and were all-day guests at Kamp Skott.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Barrow, living west of Maryville, and Miss Margaret DeMoss of Stanberry were supper guests Friday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walker's camp.

Mrs. Arch K. Frank and daughter, Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and daughter, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mary Margaret Richey, Miss Nelle Conrad, Mary and Ora May Condon, composed a picnic supper party in a quiet place in the park Friday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Brown and son, Vincent, of Camp Idlewild, were supper guests Friday evening of Mrs. W. L. Riddle and Miss Ruby, at their home. During the day Miss Golda Roach of north of Maryville, and her sister, Mrs. Lester Jones of New York City, were visitors at Idlewild, also Mrs. Kelley of Maryville.

The girls of Come Wight Inn were feasted at their tent Friday night after the program by a number of their young men friends, who have received courtesies from them in the way of luncheon. The hosts prepared the supper and the girls arranged it on the table. The menu was lovely and consisted of fried chicken, potato chips, sandwiches, cheese straws, pickles, olives, salmon, salad, lemonade, apricot ice, devil's food cake, grapes and watermelon. Those in the company were Misses Gertrude and Lola Wright, Helen Helpy, Nancy Lee Maxwell, Maurine Dehart, Ruth Montgomery, Messrs. Fred Lewis, John Mutz, Edwin Goodspeed, Louis Dehart, Herschel Colbert.

Friday was Miss Mary Ogden's birthday anniversary, and the event was celebrated at Longer Longer Lodge, with a three course dinner at twelve o'clock. The table was spread for Miss Ogden, Mrs. Ella Van Huff of Kansas City; Mrs. Mary Landon, Mr. P. O. Landon, Mr. Bruce Montgomery, Dr. Earl C. Brandner, Miss Marie Jones and Miss Alice Porter.

A delightful musicalale was given Thursday night at Waukon Inn, where Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce are host and hostess, by their guests of the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kurby Bovard, Mr. Edward Schumacher and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lippman of St. Louis. Friday afternoon Miss Hettie Anthony and Mrs. Arthur A. Leet were Mrs. Pierce's guests.

Taylor Shippy of St. Joseph is the all-week guest at the camp of Clun, Harry and John Price, and Fred Vandensloot remained with the boys over Friday night.

The Clayton camp had for its guests at Friday evening luncheon Miss Jessie Strader and Ralph Strader and Miss Josephine Bickford of McComb, Ill.

The hostesses of Seldom Inn gave another luncheon Friday evening complimentary to Miss Dorothy Pierce's guests, Miss Vena Stahl of Liberty, Mo., and Miss Verlinda Eichmiller of Hector, Minn. The company included Miss Stahl, Miss Eichmiller, Miss Pierce, Miss Susie Ellison, Messrs. George Herren, Forrest Hanna, Edward Schumacher, Shepherd Leffler and James Todd and the hostesses, Miss Helen Leffler and Miss Lulu Todd.

The guests at Monte Carlo camp for Friday evening luncheon were Messrs. Will Montgomery, Harold Bellows and Cleve Funk. The hostesses were Miss Brownie Toel, Miss Marie Brink and Miss Rena Sturm.

Attending Convention.

James Muntz, a rural carrier of the Maryville post office, is attending the state rural carriers' convention in Kansas City Saturday. Another Nodaway county delegate in attendance is O. G. Null of Pickering.

Taken to Hospital.

M. W. Bowman of Elmo was taken to a hospital at St. Joseph on Friday evening. It will probably be necessary to perform an operation on him.

George Walton, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank of Elmo, was in the city Saturday.

**News of Society
and Women's Clubs**

Home From Northern Trip.

Mrs. Fayette Bellows and children returned Saturday morning from a several weeks' sojourn at various points in the north.

Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Edwards and children of Oklahoma City, Okla., were dinner guest Saturday noon of Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison.

To Be Married Sunday.

Miss Cynthia A. New of Hopkins and Albert P. Killion of Parnell will be married Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, W. A. New of Hopkins. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Charles Graham of the Christian church of Sheridan. The young couple for the present will make their home with the groom's father, W. M. Killion, of near Parnell.

Week-End House Party.

Miss Mayme Tilson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson, is the hostess of a week-end house party at the Tilson home, on North Market street. Her guests are St. Joseph girls, and included Misses Gladys and Helen Tilson, Miss Bess Sinclair and Miss Minnie Fry. Friday night, under the chaperonage of her parents, Miss Tilson gave a moonlight picnic in an ideal spot two miles north of town, with a "weenie roast," too. The guests, aside from those already named were Harry Upschulte, George Sillers, Paul Thompson, Perry Crandall, Ed Kirch and Lawrence Tilson.

HOPKINS.

Frank Peck of St. Joseph visited last Friday with his sister, Mrs. E. C. Wolters, Sr.

Clarice Frances, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gormley, is recovering from a severe sick spell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Appleton and son left last Friday morning in their new auto for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Arch Stewart at Clinton, Ia. On their return they will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Stewart was formerly Miss Nellie Appleton.

Fred Gray, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Lou Coleman, and three children, left Monday for a visit with relatives in Denver, Col. We understand Fred is thinking of remaining in the west permanently.

Mrs. Galen Goodson, who was reported quite sick the first of the week, is much better.

Mrs. Caleb Miller, the wife of our city marshal, has been critically ill the past week, and may be taken soon to the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn., for an operation.

Rev. Tinkham and family, who were here for a very pleasant visit last week, left Monday morning for their home at Russell, Ia. Rev. Tinkham preached an excellent sermon to his former congregation here last Sunday morning.

Rev. Henry Hepburn will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, and as Rev. Hepburn is very popular with the people of Hopkins and vicinity, a large attendance is expected.

Dr. Kirk has a new automobile, and is already quite an expert driver, especially if the road is good and level. The doctor's services are very much in demand, but we think he ought to be able to give his patients the proper care, as he now has a team of horses, a motorcycle and an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones went to St. Joseph and Kansas City this week for the purpose of buying new goods for their store.

Mr. Mason A. Mitchell of Conway, Ark., arrived Wednesday night for a visit with the family of N. Otis, south of town.

A business change took place this week, when Lloyd Burch and Harvey Howard purchased the O. Lewis restaurant. As this is the only restaurant in town, it is considered one of the best paying proposition in town, and both Mr. Burch and Mr. Howard are to be congratulated on getting such a good business. As both of these young men are hustlers it is expected they will make a success. Mr. Lewis, the former proprietor, will take a much needed rest.

Ted Rusk commenced working for A. J. Gordon this week, taking the place vacated by Lloyd Burch.

Mrs. E. C. Wolters, Sr., very delightfully entertained the Salad club at her home last Friday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in playing 500, Mrs. Wolters winning her own prize, a sterling silver ice tea spoon.

J. H. Moneyham will close out the remainder of his stock of goods at auction Saturday and will leave soon after for his former home in Iowa.

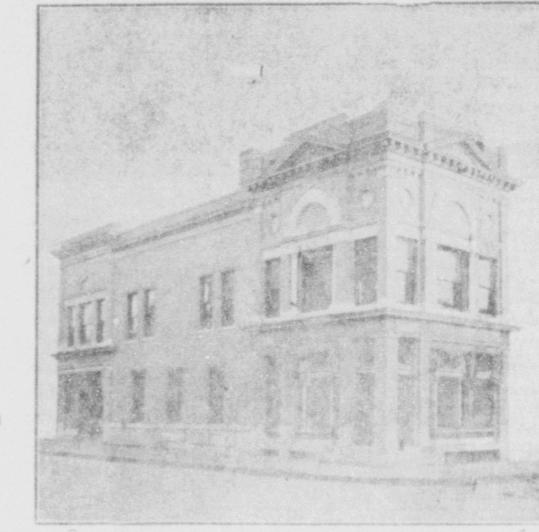
Mrs. A. H. Mutti and sons visited last week at Grant City, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dalby.

Mrs. Harry Miller, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ingram, left Thursday for her new home at Eagleville, Mo., where her

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To Montreal, Can., and return... \$26.50

To Quebec, Can., and return... \$40.00

To any other points you may be interested in, ask us about "Tourist Rates." If there is anything good on tap the Wabash has it, and not only that, but on all tourist tickets we will deliver them to you personally any place in the city.

E. L. Ferritor
WABASH AGENT.

Returned to St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lippman and children of St. Louis, who have been visiting in Maryville several weeks with their parents and relatives, left for their home Saturday morning. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lippman's mother, who will spend two weeks with them.

Minister Praises This Laxative.

Rev. H. Stubenvoll of Allison, Ia., in praising Dr. King's New Life Pills for constipation, writes: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are such perfect pills no home should be without them." No better regulator for the liver and bowels. Every pill guaranteed. Try them. Price 25c, at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.—Advertisement.

Going to St. Louis.

Berney Harris and son Irvin will leave Saturday night for St. Louis. Mr. Harris will buy the fall and winter stock of clothing for the Harris clothing store, and Irvin will visit relatives and boy friends in his former home.

HER FRIEND'S GOOD ADVICE

The Results Made This Newburg Lady Glad She Follow'd Suggestion.

Newburg, Ala.—"For more than a year," writes Myrtle Cuthrom, of this place, "I suffered with terrible pains in my back and head. I had a sallow complexion, and my face was covered with pimples. Our family doctor only gave me temporary relief."

A friend of mine advised me to try Cardui, so I began taking it, at once, and with the best results, for I was cured after taking two bottles. My mother and my aunt have also used Cardui and were greatly benefited.

I shall always praise Cardui to sick and suffering women."

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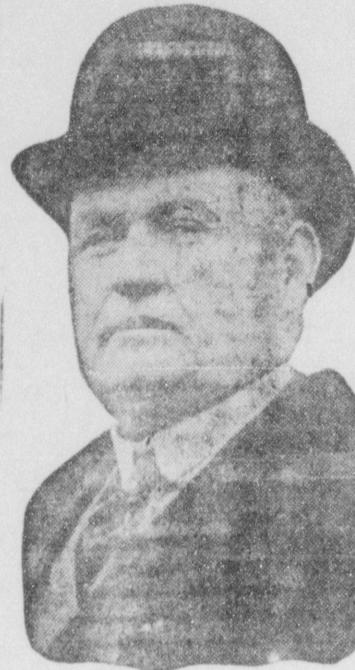
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HENRY D. CLAYTON.

He Has Been Appointed Senator From Alabama to Succeed Johnston, Deceased



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Surprise was expressed by Democratic leaders of the United States Senate when they learned that Governor O'Nan of Alabama had disregarded their advice and had appointed Representative Henry D. Clayton to succeed the late Senator Johnnston without express authority from the Alabama legislature. Mr. Clayton was born in Barbour county, Ala., in 1857. His father was a major general in the Confederate army.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW OF TRADE

Distribution of Merchandise Continues in Normal Volume.

New York, Aug. 16.—Dun's Review says:

Current distribution of merchandise continues in normal volume, while steady preparations are being made for an active fall and winter business. Conservation has been accentuated somewhat by the damage to corn, yet in a broad sense crop conditions are still promising, and with remunerative prices prevailing another prosperous year is assured. The heavy movement of agricultural products to market contributes liberally to transportation revenues, while the exports of grain and other commodities add materially to credit balances abroad.

Domestic monetary considerations have become a matter of less concern and political developments in Europe also make for an easier situation there. Changes in strictly mercantile and industrial conditions are of a mixed character with favorable features predominating.

Failures for the week numbered 272

NEW TROTTING RECORD MADE

Dudie Archdale and Anvil Go Three Heats in Fast Time.

Detroit, Aug. 16.—A world's record for three heats in a trotting race was established at the close of the Grand Circuit meet at the state fair track when F. G. Jones of Memphis drove Dudie Archdale to victory in the free-for-all, with Anvil, Geers up, contesting every inch of the way. The time for the three heats was 2:04½, 2:04½ and 2:04½, Anvil winning the first heat and Dudie Archdale the next two.

Man Is Drowned in Carter Lake.

Omaha, Aug. 16.—George F. Thomas was drowned in Carter lake, off Larson's landing. He was taken with cramps while diving.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., 87½c; Dec., 90½c. Corn—Sept., 74½c; Dec., 69½c. Oats—Sept., 43½c; Dec., 45½c. Pork—Sept., \$20.25; Jan., \$18.67½. Lard—Sept., \$11.07½; Oct., \$11.12½. Ribs—Sept., \$10.95; Oct., \$10.85.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 87½@89c; No. 2 corn, 75½@75c; No. 2 white oats, new, 43½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; strong, beefeves, \$7.00@7.90; western steers, \$6.20@7.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.45@7.90; cows and heifers, \$3.60@8.30; calves, \$8.00@11.00. Hogs—Receipts, 19,000; strong, 15c higher; bulk of sales, \$7.80@8.50; light, \$8.65@8.90; heavy, \$7.35@8.55; rough, \$7.35@7.60; pigs, \$4.00@7.90. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; strong; westerns, \$4.00@4.60; yearlings, \$4.85@5.75; lambs, \$5.25@7.50.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 900; 10@15c higher for the week; beef steers, \$7.25@8.90; cows and heifers, \$5.50@7.25; stockers and feeders, \$5.60@7.50; bulls, \$5.25@6.75; calves, \$6.00@9.50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; 5c higher; bulk of sales, \$7.65@7.70; top, \$8.50. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; ewes, \$4.50@5.00; ewes, \$3.00@4.50.

CAPONS ARE PROFITABLE.

What the Missouri Poultry Experiment Station Has to Say About That Matter.

In a circular, the Missouri poultry experiment station at Mountain Grove, Mo., T. E. Quisenberry, director, has the following to say about capons being profitable:

Thousands of Missouri cockerels are marketed every season at a price that hardly pays for the feed they have eaten, to say nothing of the care and trouble required to raise them. Why hold your males until they become staggy, develop small spurs, weigh from four to six pounds, and sell on the market for only 15 to 40 cents each, depending on the size, quality and market conditions? These same cockerels as capons would weigh eight to twelve pounds each and bring from 18 to 25 cents per pound, live weight. If you don't expect to caponize them, then sell your surplus cockerels as broilers, market poultry of all kinds, or eggs.

In making capons profitable the five most essential things which you must keep in mind are as follows:

1. The most important thing is to see that the birds are in proper condition before being caponized. They must be kept in a cool, dark place, without feed or water, for at least thirty-six hours before caponizing.

2. Caponize when the birds are ripe—just before the comb shows much sign of development. In most varieties this is just about the time you can begin to tell the cockerels from the pullets. It is better to have them too small than too large.

3. Good instruments are a necessity. You cannot prevent deaths and "slips" without them.

4. Operate from both sides. Make the incision and remove the organ next to you. Then turn the bird over and repeat the operation. This method is best for amateurs. Operate on two or three dead cockerels which you have killed for frying until you can readily locate the organs and become familiar with the operation.

5. Cockerels should be marketed as broilers or friers, or else caponized. As a general rule, cockerels which cannot be profitably marketed at a weight of two pounds or less by July 1st should be caponized. Don't market capons and "slips" in the same crate. Fatten them before marketing.

The operation of caponizing is so simple and easy that a 10-year-old child of ordinary intelligence can easily learn to perform it. With a little practice one becomes very skillful, and can caponize from twenty to forty cockerels per hour.

The cockerels should be caponized when they are quite small, not much larger than quails. This is usually when they are from 6 to 10 weeks old. At this time the testicles are about the size of a plum grain of wheat or perhaps as large as a bean. The loss of blood and shock of the operation is such that it is not advisable to caponize cockerels after they begin to crow and worry the hens. When performed on young 2-months-old cockerels there is very little loss of blood, and practically no pain connected with the operation.

It is important to get good caponizing instruments. They will last a life-time and save trouble. Two of the leading manufacturers of caponizing instruments are the Capon Tool company, Cedar Vale, Kan., and the G. P. Pilling & Son Co., Philadelphia, Pa. We can recommend others if desired. All capon tool manufacturers send complete instructions for caponizing with their tools, so that it is unnecessary to give detailed instructions here, because the operation varies with each set of tools.

Capon brings the highest prices from January to May each year. The larger capons the higher the price per pound. For this reason it rarely pays to market capons before they are 9 to 12 months old. Naturally the larger breeds, such as the Brahmans, Orpingtons, Plymouth Rocks, and similar varieties, make the best capons.

If you get your cockerels in the right condition before you attempt to caponize them, the operation is half performed. Keep them confined to a coop which should be placed in a dark, cool room. Do not feed or allow them to have a drop of water for at least thirty-six hours before they are operated on. There will be little or no bleeding in this case. After caponizing, the capons should be kept in a clean, quiet, cool pen for a week, until the wounds have time to heal. During this time they should be given soft feed and plenty of pure water. Don't feed too freely immediately following the operation. It is a good plan to examine the operation for "wind puffs," which sometimes form under the skin. These can be reduced by puncturing one side of the swelling with a sharp darning needle or penknife. After a week they can be turned out with the rest of the flock.

Keep the capons growing nicely until about three weeks before marketing, when they should be penned and fattened. Seventy pounds of corn meal, thirty pounds low grade flour, twenty pounds dry beef scraps and ten pounds of wheat bran make an excellent fattening food. Mix about two pounds of buttermilk or sour milk with each pound of the above mash mixture, and feed all they will clean up in twenty or thirty minutes. Feed this twice a day. Also give them all the grit and charcoal they will eat. Corn meal made sloppy with buttermilk or sour milk makes a splendid fattening ration.

In dressing capons for market never cut off the head, as the head with the undeveloped comb is the feature that proves to the city buyers that the

birds marketed really are capons. In picking, it is usually customary to leave the head and hackle feathers, the feathers on the wings to the second joint, the tail feathers, including those a little way up the back, and the feathers on the legs half way up the thighs.

Most Missouri poultry raisers will probably prefer to sell their capons alive rather than dressed. Since the marketing of capons is a new departure in most sections of the state, some difficulty may be experienced in getting the local buyers to quote a special price on them. Most of them, however, will be glad to do so. This station will always be glad to assist in finding markets, either for capons, broilers, market poultry of all kinds, or eggs.

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